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FOR: PROCESS FOR THE :  
ALKOXYLATION OF MONOOLS IN THE  
PRESENCE OF METALLO-ORGANIC  
FRAMEWORK MATERIALS

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the final Office Action dated December 9, 2004, Applicants file a Request for Continued Examination concurrently herewith and ask that the Examiner amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.